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Dear Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed May 17, 2005. Reconsideration of the captioned application in view of the amendments and remarks to follow is respectfully requested.

30 Amendments to the Specification – none;

Amendments to the Claims – begin on page 2 of this paper;

Amendments to the Drawings – none;

Remarks/Arguments – begin on page 10 of this paper.